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Dear Examiner Evans:

Pursuant to our telephone conversation of earlier today, attached please find a "CORRECTED MARKED-UP COPY OF AMENDED CLAIMS." As we discussed and agreed, because of the omission of the phrase "optionally in the presence of one or more physiologically active substances" in Claim 1 in the original MARKED-UP COPY OF AMENDED CLAIMS, which was submitted on October 31, 2001, we hereby submit a corrected version.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Very truly yours,

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